

106TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 2167

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 2, 2000

Mr. KENNEDY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SUSPENSION OF DUTY ON TRANSFORMERS FOR**  
4 **USE IN CERTAIN RADIOBROADCAST RECEIV-**  
5 **ERS CAPABLE OF RECEIVING SIGNALS ON AM**  
6 **AND FM FREQUENCIES.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of  
8 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is

- 1 amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following  
 2 new heading:

“	9902.85.04	120/60Hz electrical transformers (provided for in subheading 8504.31.40), with dimensions not exceeding 78mm by 64.5mm by 88.7mm and containing stacked EI laminations with an integral bobbin, imported for use as components in radiobroadcast receivers with digital clock or clock-timer, valued over \$40 each (provided for in subheading 8527.32.50), the foregoing which include a resonant system tuned to at least five audible frequencies .....	Free	No change	No change	On or before 6/30/2003	”.
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- 3 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
 4 subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or  
 5 withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after  
 6 the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

